

ALEXANDRIA.

TUESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 27.

THE NEW YORK Herald, in speaking of the federal soldiers in the war between the until the 10th proximo, and was rather sur-States, says:

"And what we are proudest of is that they were not hirelings. No thought of hard cash prompted them to duty. The motives that u.ged them were of the most unselfish that Secretary Windom, in order to supply and holy character. The country was in the former and reduce the latter, must pur danger and the President's trumpet call for help sounded on every hill top. The thun-derous reply was heard: "We are coming Father Abraham, three hundred thousand

more." And the Herald says all this though it cannot have forgotten the hordes of foreigners attracted here by the immense bounties offered for federal soldiers; and the conscript laws, and the bloody riot the execution of those laws provoked in its own city Why, even now, a quarter of a century after the war, an immense sum of U. S. money is sent abroad quarterly to pay pensions to foreigners who returned to their foreign homes after the war here was over.

IN REPLY to a respectful inquirer in Augusta, Georgia, solicitous for the preservation of true local history, as to why he selected the route to Savannah instead of to Augusta on his march through Georgia, General Sherman say:

"If the people of Augusta think I slighted them in the winter of 1864-5 by reason of personal friend-hip formed in 1844 they are mistaken, or if they think I made a mistake or purchased lots near by, so that they can in strategy let them say so, and with the President's consent I think I can send a detachment of 100 000 or so of "Sherman's bummers," and their descendants, who will finish up the job without charging Uncle Sam a cent."

General Sherman is an old man now. He has said many things of late years that have made his friends anxious about his mental condition. The above shows that this enxiety was well founded, and that he is all cied with senile dementia.

THE NEW YORK Tribune, that once only tolerated General Mahone because of his opposition to the democratic party, now cheerfully suderses him and his "methods," for the reason, as it says, that he has made "concessions" to those in his own party who are opposed to his arbitrary and autocratic rule. "Concessions"! Weil, if the Tribune has discovered any "concessions" General Mahone has made to his opponents in his own party in Virginia, it has done a great deal more than any of the latter, except Col. Brady, has been able to do.

THE LABOR political movement in Ala bama, like that in New York some years ago, has come to an end, but, unlike the latter, it has done so before the election. The knights of labor and the trade unions have dissolved partnership, and the members of each will hereafter vote with the old political parties, as they have done heretofore. The race danger that now the most violent manner for an hour or two complainant. threatens every southern interest, moral as that an old woman who has been calling on well as material, is too great to allow people interested in the welfare of the South to run was reputed to be, and the man who came the risk of third parties.

again. Not one of the new naval vessels, nor one of the new guns, made in this country has proved a success, though all of them have cost more time and money than they would have cost if made any where else. Americans beat the world in wooden ships and in small arms, but they have not yet mastered the arts of making steel ships and large guns; nor will they allow skilled foreigners to come here and instruct them in

THE WASHINGTON Post, republican, says: "Mahone's votes in the Senate will stand the full test of republicanism as compared with the votes of the most stalwart republi cans of that body." Nebody has ever denied General Mahone's stalwart republicanism since his one vote made the U. S. Senate republican and prevented the repeal of the statute prohibiting ex-Confederates from holding commissions in the U. S. ar-

THE NEW YORK Tribune says "history must condemn Gen. R E. Lee as a man who was not true to his allegiance." This shows that the Tribune, now that Mr. Reid has gone to Paris, does not know what it is talking about. Why, the very text books which General Lee used at West Point, and which were used there until the war broke out, taught him to do just exactly what he

As Mr. BARBOUR well says, political platforms don't amount to much. If the Virginia democrats be wise they will select as their candidates for the legislature good and true democrats, men who are in accord with contents were a total less, and the fire had to find the guilty one and place the crime the national democratic party on national in the meantime communciated to the where it belongs. Detectives have been oraffairs, and who are in favor of an honest and satisfactory settlement of the State debt, as those of this city and county will do, and will make hundreds of votes by doing so.

MR. CLEVELAND'S advocacy of a low tariff and his veto of the dependent pensions bill go far toward offsetting his mugwumpery and his absurd idea that he is better than his party. But there are many other men in the democratic party who are as sound as Mr. Cieveland is on both the tariff and the pension questions, and who are not mugwumps, and are not afflicted with the "big head."

G. G. Benedict, the newly appointed collector of customs for Vermont, has requested the resignation of all democratic officers in the custom house at Bichford.

FROM WASHINGTON [Special Correspondence of the Alexs. GAZETT*]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 27, 1889. Senator Barbour left here this morning for Lynchburg, where he expected to meet the nominated at the recent State democratic convention of Virginia, and consult with them about the management of the democratic campaign now commencing in that State. The prevailing impression here concerning the result of that campaign, among people who know anything about the condition of political affairs in Virginia, is that notwithstanding the money of the them. national republican committee and the sup port of the federal administration, General Mahone will be eliminated next November more effectually than he eliminated one third of the Virginia debt when he was at

the head of affairs in his State. Young Mr. Popham, of Virginia, recently appointed U.S. commercial agent at Panams, will sail from New York for that port on the 31st inst. He did not intend to leave prised when he received orders that compel

him to leave next Saturday.

The demand for money in the commercial centres is so great now and the accumula tion of surplus in the Treasury so enormous, chase bonds not yet due, and in doing that is at the mercy of a bond trust, which is

looting the government's coffers.

All the required preparations are being made here for the commencement of an extra session of Congress on the 21st of October. The President has been supplied with all the data requisite for the message he will then send to Congress, which mes sage he is now preparing and will have completed by that time.

Assistant Postmaster General Clarkson gave the democratic 4th class postmasters a rest to day, and removed none of them.

An Alexandria republican here to-day says the republicans of his city and county have determined to re-nominate Mr. Corbett for the legislature, and that Mr. Cor bett says he will accept the nomination and will be elected. The republican referred to smiled when be told the GAZETTE'S correspondent this, and said Mahoneism was no where more thoroughly dead than in Alexandria.

People from Alexandria county, Virginia, here to day say searly all the negroes on the old Arlington estate in that county, who were disfranchised by reason of that estate again vote, and send their children to school, and have their poor provided for and their dead buried at the county's expense as of

A gentleman from Petersburg, Virginia, who arrived here to day says General Ma hone is at his home there and has his secretary, Capt. Asa Rogers, sending out circulars by the thousand to all parts of the State on the subject of the State debt, but that they contain no plan by which he proposes to settle that debt. They also say that the feeling against General Mahone among certain members of his own party in Patershure is members of his own party in Petersburg is as great as it ever was, and that Langston, the head of the negroes there, will not yet say whether he is for or against the General.

Mr. Edmund Burke, a prominent repub-

lican lawyer of Alexandria, here to-dry, says the nomination of Mr. Frank Hume for the Virginia legislature by the democrats of Alexandria will cut a big slice out of the Mahone pet in that county.

A Woman's Terrible Deed.

Robert Ray Hamilton, of New York, and his wife are under arrest at Atlantic City charged with probable murder of Mary Donnelly, a norse of their eight months old baby. Mrs. Hamilton is held as the prin cipal sud her husband as accessory. It is said that Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton quarreled frequently. During a quarrel yesterday, in which they were both coinched in the room, Mary Donnel y ran in to separate the combatants. She halfshielded Hamilton's body with her own, when the wife plunged a dagger in the maid's abdomen, exposing her intestines. The wounded women raved in to see her, pretending to be her brother, was not such a relative at all, but was Joseph THE NEW cruiser Charleston has failed Mann, her lover. Mrs. Hamilton was for a keeper of a house of ill fame in Her husband is a son of Gen. New York. Schuyler Hamilton, of New York, and has an allowance of \$18,000 yearly, besides a lucrative law practice in New York.

A Bold Stage Robbery.

The stage that runs between Gogebic, just over the line in Michigan, to Gogebic Lake, a summer resort, was yesterday held up by a lone highwayman who, pointing two re volvers at the driver, commanded him to throw up his bands, at the same time extending the order to the four passengers to 'shell out" all loose valuables and currency.

One of the pessengers clinched a pistol in his hand and began firing at the robber. The desperado immediately returned the fire, and D. Mackerchar of Minneapolie, received the first bullet in his cheek, while a second went crashing through his leg. Another passenger, named A. Fieeschbain, of coach into the roadway. The horses then started on a run, and the wounded man was left to take his chances with the robber. That villain threatened at first to kill him, but finally desisted after securing \$37 and his victim's watch and chain. The wounded man lay bleeding in the road for three hours and was finally taken to the hospital. Mackerchar was taken to his home at Minneapolis. There are grave doubts as to his

recovery. BIG FIRE.-The town of Port Costa, on the Carwulnez straits, which is a great grain that she was to have been married very the Carwulnez straits, which is a great grain centre of California, was the scene a destructive fire yesterday, involving a total loss of about \$600,000. The fire originated in ware-the result of this awful tragedy. house No. 2, a wooden building 1,500 feet There is considerable excitement in the warehouse contained about 7,000 tons of ficers of the Commonwealth will exert every grain. Within two hours the building and possible means, leaving no stone unturned wharves and shipping alongside. American wooden ship Armenia and the British wooden ship Henowaur, both par of the murderer. Miss Rawlett was an actially loaded wheat, were burned to the complished and attractive young lady, about tially loaded wheat, were burned to the water's edge. The rigging of the British twenty-two years old, and was very popuship Kenilworth caught fire, but before any serious damaged had occurred to the hull she was towed into the stream and her hold she was towed into the stream and her hold should see securely instelled on anyone sold at \$3 20a4 85; Colorado do. at \$3 65a3 75; flooded. She had a cargo of 3 000 tons of "Judge Lynch" may pay a visit to the quiet wheat on board, which will probably prove and peaceful old county of King George. wheat on board, which will probably prove and peaceful old county of King George. nearly a total loss. The loss on the house and contents is placed at \$350,000, of Mr. Cowan, her stepfather, about seven upon which there is an estimated total insurance of \$104,000.

Fire.

HOPKINTON, Mass., Aug. 27 .- The shoe factory of A. Coburn, Son & Co., the engine bouse and a dwelling house were burned A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to W. M. Gites and Annie this morning. Over 300 workmen are de-Gregg, of Londonn county. prived of employment.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

An effort is being made to have Ganeral Grant's body removed from Rivera de, New York, to Arlington.

A severe shock of earthquake was felt throughout Greece yesterday, and serious damage was done in several towns.

General W. T. Sherman has written a let ter explaining why he neglected to stop at Augusts, Ga., on his march to the sea.

Attorneys for the men charged with complicity in the murder of Dr. P. H. Cronin, of Chicago, asked for separate trials for The council of the French Legion of Hon-

or has crased the names of General Boulanger and Count Dillon from the roll of the order. A combination of Eastern capitalists has

been formed to purchase all the coal property along the Monongahela river, and control the river coal business. The examination by John P. Shilling, the

man charged with being "Jack the Peeper," at Bayonne City, N. J., resulted in his unconditional release yesterday. At the little village of Paradice, near Reading, Pennsylvania, Philip Heinickle, a

German farmer, set his barn on fire yester-day and jumped into the flames. Queen Victoria visited the Rusbon coal pits yesterday. She also went to Llangol len, where she was presented with several addresses and received with much enthusi-

The warrant issued against Justice Stephen J. Field, charging him with being a party to the killing of David S. Terry, and which had been sworn out by Mrs. Sarah Althea Terry, was yesterday dismissed at Stockton, Cal.

The matricide, Irving Latimer, whose crime and trial attracted wide-pread attention, has been detected in a plot to blow up the Michigan State prison, and a quantity of explosives has been found within the rison wall. Latimer was locked in the solitary dungeon at once on the discovery of the plot.

A call was issued in Washington last night for a meeting of the district central republican committee, an organization composed largely of colored men, to be held on next Tuesday night, at which a protest will be made against the district commissioners' refusal to dismiss clerks because they are democrate.

The cyclone which for several days has een slowly creeping northward was central last night off the Atlantic coast in the atitude of Savannah, with its vortex near the Gulf Stream. It will advance to day to the vicinity of Cape Hatterse, moving to the northward and later to the northeastward, and will probably reach this latitude to-morrow. It will be a menace to coastwise shipping for several days.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Col. Mann Spitler died at Luray Sunday, eged 64 years.

F ancis Morgan, the young Englihsman who killed John S. Coles, a wealthy James river farmer, on Saturday, is now in the Albemarle county jail.

Gov. Lee has respited Simon Walker, the negro sentenced to be banged at Chester field Court House on Friday for an outrageous assault, until September 27.

Mrs. Anne Triplett Haxall died Sunday evening at her residence in Richmond. Mrs Haxall was a sister of the late William S. Triplett, and the widow of the late Bolling Walker Haxall.

General Mahone has returned to Petersburg from Norfolk. The General in a faw weeks will begin to stump the State. He has not yet determined where he will make his first speech of the campaign, but it will, in all probability, be delivered in southwest Virginia.

Judge Fauntleroy, of the Supreme Court of Appeals, yesterday in Richmond granted a temporary injunction to restrain the Postal Telegraph Cable Company from proceeding in the County Court of Sussex for condemnation for right of way on the lands of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, until they have produced the articles of incorporation called for in the bill of the

Tragedy in King George. About seven weeks ago Miss Annie Rawlett, a well known young lady of King George county, suddenly and mysteriously disappeared with her infant child, and nothing was heard of her until Sunday, when Mr. Thomas Minor, who was going do 3s 67a68. through the woods of his farm, Pop Castle, found the mutilated bodies of the unfortu-nate woman and her infant babe. Mr. Miner in going through a thickly grown piece of woods along the banks of Poplar Creek, noticed something lying at the water's edge and found it to be the dead bodies of the woman and child. Without stopping to find out who the unfortunates were he hurried to the court house and notified the commonwealth's attorney and coroner of what he had found. Commonwealth's Attorney Mason, Corpner Nande, and Mr. Miner at once repaired to the scene. Upon examination they found that the bodies were those of the unfortunate girl and her infant enfolded in her arms. The bodies were terribly mucilated by dogs, bogs, and other animals of the woods, but evi-dences of foul play were seen, and the cor-Belleville, Itl., was mortally wounded. He dences of foul play were seen, and the corfell forward and pitched over the side of the which viewed the remains on the ground, and then repaired with them to the court house to make an examination. A number of witnesses were summoned. after sitting for two days, examining a number of witnesses, came to the following ver-dict late yesterday evening: "We, the jury, find that Anna Rawlett and infant came to their death by the hand or hands of some unknown person or persons." time previous to the di-appearance of Mi-s Rawlett a young man had been paying her his undivided attention, and it was rumored long, owned by G. W. McNear & Co. The county over the terrible crime, and the of-The dered to the scene of the tragedy, and will lar. There have been no arrests yet, but great excitement prevails, and if the crime

> Miss Rawlett and her child left the house weeks ago, and had not since been seen. She was an orphan, and aged about thirty five years. By some persons it is thought that mother and child were murdered, while others think that they wandered into the ravine along the creek and were drowned.

should be securely fastened on anyone

State Political Notes.

Ex-Governor Cameron being asked yes terday as to what part his wing of the party would take in the political fight next fall, replied that he could not tell yet, but, speaking for himself, he should not vote for Mshone. He did not think they would put up any candidate for Governor, but might have condidates for the State Senate. Mr. Cameron said they would hold a convention some time soon to determine on some plan of action, but when and where this convention would be held had not yet been fixed upon. Being asked as to General Groner's visit to New York, Governor Cameron said Groner had gone there on business, and not on politics, but while there he might have some talk with Capt. John S. Wise about matters concerning the

campaign in Virginia.
Mr. W. A. Little, jr., has declined to be come a candidate for the State Senate from the Fredericksburg district, and Capt. D. M. Lee, of Stafford will be urged by the demo-

crats of that county for the position. C. A. Heermans, Commonwealth's attor ney for Montgomery county, and a repub-lican speaker and worker of influence, has published a letter giving his reasons for op posing the election of Gen. Mahone to the Governorship. Mr. Heermans was recently appointed assistant United States district attorney for the western district of Virginia, but declined for the reason that he did not propose to have his voice against Mahone's usurpations silenced.

A number of prominent republicans of Roanoke county have also pronounced against the Mahone ticket.

The democrats of Accomac county yester day nominated John W. G. Blackstone for the Senate and Joseph E. Brodwater for the House of Delegates.
United States Senator John W. Daniel ar-

rived at Baltimore yesterday on his way home from the White Sulphur Springs. The Senator said he expected soon to enter the Virginia canvass actively. He said "the democratic ticket, headed by Capt, Mc-Kinney, I regard as a very strong one, and Mahone is as as easy to beat as any one else. McKinney is an able and aggressive man, and should make a strong fight

Capt P. W. McKinney, democratic nominee for Governor, arrived in Lynchburg yesterday evening. The object of Capt. Mc-Kinney's visit is to confer with the democratic committee, meet the other candidates and map out the canvass. Hon. John S. Barbour and other members of the committee are expected in time for an early meeting this evening. Major Tyler is also expected to be present. Capt. McKinney make an early canvass of Southwest Virginia, Major Tyler will canvass the Eastern and Valley sections of the State.

VATICAN AND KING .- A Rome special says: King Humbert and Queen Margherita have been placed under the ban of the church. The sentence of excommunication is stated to have been pronounced by the pontiff in person on the occasion of the secret consistory held a few days after the dedication of the Bruno statue. The state ment is universally believed, and there is much to corroborate the authenticity thereof. All the ordinary courtesies which have been customary recently between the Vatican and the Quirinal have been entirely stopped.

A GREAT COMMERCIAL QUESTION .- The South American nations are coming up to confer with us on commercial matters. Last year they sold to us \$119,000,000 more than they bought of us, so that it is more our interest than theirs to know why. We paid the \$119 000,000 in gold, which nearly all went to England to buy things which we have for sale. We must hold out some in-ducements to trade with us, or there will be no change in the state of our commerce with our scuthern neighbors.-Alta Cali

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK. Angust 27 -The stock market opened this morning with considerable animation and quite strong, first prices being from 1/8 to 3/8 per cent higher than last evening's prices. The market soon subsided into dullness, however, though some stocks scored further fractional advances. The market then settled away, and beore the end of the hour most of the list were Texans are dying by hundreds in the passlightly below the opening prices. There was a well distributed business among the few leading tures south of Arkansas City. The symp-

BALTIMORE, Aug. 27,-Virginias consolidated 37 bid; past-due conron --: 10-40s 36 bid.

no change in Flour. Wheat is firm, but not quotably higher; the quality of the offerings contin' ues extremely poor; we quote at from 55 to 82, the latter for good old. Corn is dull, with iucreasing receipts; sales at 43a45. Bye is stoady at 38a47. Oats are heavy at 22a28. Country produce is in good demand.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 27 .- Cotton quiet and firm RALTIMORE, Aug. 27.—Cotton quiet and firm; midding 11% Flour fairly active and steady. Wheat—Southern irregular and higher; Fultz 75 a85; longberry 76a86; No 2 79a79%; steamer 75 %; Western steady; No 2 winter red spot 79% a79 %; Aug 79% a7978; Sept 80% a80%; Oct 81% Oct 81% Cern—Southern steady; white 42a44; yellow 42a43%; Western quiet; mixed spot Aug and Sept 40% a40%. Oats active and steady; Southern and Penna 22a27; Western white 25a27; do mixed 23a25. Rye nominal st 50 a51. Hay dull; prime to choice timothy \$13 00a14 00. Provisions weak. Mess Pork \$13 00a14 00. Provisions weak. Mess Pork \$12 50. Bulk-meats—loose—shoulders 5 c; long clear, clear rib sides and sugar-pickled shoulders crear, crear rib sides and sugar-pickled shoulders $6^{1}4_{1}$; sugar-cured smoked shoulders $7^{1}4_{2}$; hams $13^{1}4_{2}413^{1}4_{2}$. Lard—refined $7^{1}4_{2}$. Butter firm for high grad s; Western packed 10a13; creamery 17a18. Eggs firm at $17^{1}4_{2}418$ Coffee firm; Rio cargoes fair $18^{1}4_{2}418^{1}4_{2}$. Sugar quiet and demand light; A soft $8^{1}4_{2}$. Whisky unchanged.

Kiverside factories employing the hands are closing for lack of coal.

Brutal Murder.

Chevenne, Wyo., Aug. 27.—Myo., Aug

NEW YORK, Aug 27 .- Cotton steady; splands 11½; Orleans 11¾; futures steady. Flour easy. Wheat steady and higher. Corn quiet and lower. Pork dull at \$11x11 50. Lard quiet at \$6 37½.

CHICAGO, August 27—11 a. m —Wheat—Sept 77½; Dec 78½. Corn—Sept 33%s34. Oats—Sept 1978 Pork—Sept \$9 65. Lard—Sept \$5 92½. Short rits—Sept \$4 75a4 77½.

Baltimors, Aug. 26—Hogs—The receipts are nearly 2,000 head less than the number recorded last week, but they seem to be enough for the slow demand. The quality is not as good as it was last Monday, as there is a mu n ranger proportion of grassers among them. Values show no change. The number sold at the top quotation is jail. much less than it was last Monday. We quote the range from 5 4c for rough to 65c per lb net for good light Western corn-fad Hogs, good heavy Hogs selling at 6 4c per lb net. Receipts this week 5.093 head.

Receipts of Sheep 877 head, with sales at 31/2a 41/4c, and Lambs at from 3a51/2c per lb.

NEW YORK CATTLE MARKET, Aug. 26.—Beeves -market dull and weak for common and inferior firmer for good and prime steers; native steers sold at \$3 25a4 85; Colorado do. at \$3 65a3 75; 6 75, and steady for buttermilk Calves at \$2 50s

GEORGETOWN CATTLE MARKET, Aug. 26 - Peet Cattle were offered and sold as follows: best 37% a 41%; good 35% a 33% c; mcdium 3a 31% c; common 2a 3. 501 Sheep and Lambs were offered and sold; Sheep 21% a 41%; Lambs 41% a 61% Calves 4a 51% c. 10 Cows and Calves brought \$20.45. Market brisk.



ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., 27 .- The Register prints the following: Information reached this city yesterday of a terrible negro riot at Jordan Brock, not for from Lockesburg, in Sevier county, resulting in the death of several and the wounding of many others: Jordan Brook is a small town situated on the edge of an immense strip of pine timber, many miles from the nearest telegraph office. For some time the negroes of that county have been spending their Saturday nights in a jubilee ceremony in the woods near town and last Saturday night was set as the time for an especially large and uproarious gathering. A great quantity of whisky was introduced, the people coming from all over the country to participate in the "burrab." Shortly after 9 o'clock trouble began in a quarrel between Joseph Jordan and Wm. Newcomb and it ended in Newcomb shooting Jordan in the breast with a load of turkey shot. The wounded man was carried into the woods and while fighting was still going on at the grounds he died from his wounds. Meanwhile the utmost confusion and uproar prevailed. The women scattered to get out of the way and the men fired at each other in their drunken fury without knowing whom they were shooting at. In the clamor that resulted it was impossible to secure the names of all the wounded and injured, but it is known that several are fatally hurt while many are seriously wounded. Frank Holt is known to be dead with four bullets in his body while Anderson Neal lay near him shot through the hip. These men met in darkness and promptly began a battle with platols. As soon as the news reached Lockesburg a possee of white man started for the scene of the disturbance. but the contestants had all disappeared when they arrived. The grounds were in great disorder, however, and there was every evidence of the deadly struggle which had taken place.

An Alabama Negro Killed by a Bear. BIRMINGHAM, Aia., Aug. 27 -On Sun. day three negroes-Ned Taylor, Jim Robinson, and Joe Sweeney-went squirrel hunting in the swamps of the Warren river, a few miles from Carthage. In a hollow stump they found two young bears, and attempted to capture them alive. While they were tying one of the cubs the mother suddenly appeared on the scene and attacked Taylor. His gun was knocked out of his band, and the bear seized him around the body. Taylor's companions were so badly frightened that they dropped their guns and fled from the spot. When they returned half an hour later they found Taylor dead and torn to pieces by the teeth and claws of the bear. The cube were in a tree, but the old bear was lying on the ground writhing in agony. Taylor had gotten out his knife and stabbed the bear repeatedly before his or less torn up. strength gave out. The animal was killed by a shot from Robinson's rifls.

Fever Among Cattle

has just returned from a trip to Oklahoma bundred and ninety six votes are necessary and passed through Kansas and Indian to nominate, and mest carefully revised Territory where the herds of cattle are figures give Campbell 425 votes on the first pastured, says that not only are the native ballot. Hon. M. D. Harter will be made cattle sifficted with fever, but the through chairman of the convention. stocks. The trading developed no special feature toms are exactly the same as Texas fever, of interest, and at 11 o'clock the market was duli but th rough Texans have never been and rather heavy at cose to opening figures. known to die of the disease. He says cat- of nitrate of soda. tle are being shipped to market from pastures where carcasses are lying in hundreds and of the same brands as those ship ped, and that they are considered good ALEXANDRIA MARKET Angust 27 -There is rough for cappers' stock, and everything

The London Strike

LONDON, Aug. 27 -The strike situation is unchanged. It is rumored that the printers intend joining in it. Ships are being brother, Jos Dietrick, who has just diet in Toxas unloaded at Chatham and Southampton without interference. The Lord Mayor has refused to become arbitrator of the differ ences between the men and their employers fearing lest it might conflict with his julicial duties.

Tae strikers now number 130 000. The coal porters at important centres are joining ty, Arkansas, where they will go to work October the strikers. Two hundred and fffry steamers are lying in the docks awaiting cargoes. Riverside factories employing thousands of

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Aug. 27 .- Martin Laviu's boarding house was the scene of a brutal murder Sunday night. Herman Kerl, a shoemaker, was kicked to death by the proprietor, his mother and their hangers-on. In the evening Kerl objected to being robbed in the place, and when assaulted he estimated in the county, as one worthy of our consideration and support. We believe "the office should seek the man, and not the man the office." His friends have consulted him in this matter, and, with his consent, we sak you to insert this in the county, as one worthy of our consideration and support. We believe "the office." His friends have consulted him in this matter, and, with his consent, we sak you to insert this in your country. Respectfully, and the place is the office." His friends have consulted him in this matter, and, with his consent, we sak you to insert this in your country. Respectfully, and the place is the office." His friends have consulted him in the should seek the man, and not the man the office." His friends have consulted him in this matter, and, with his consent, we sak you to insert this in your country. Respectfully, and the place is the country and the place is the office." His friends have consulted him in the should seek the man, and not the man the office." His friends have consulted him in the should seek the man, and not the man the office." His friends have consulted him in this matter, and, with his consent, we sak you to insert this in the country is the consent. shoemsker, was kicked to death by the bed in the place, and when assaulted he es caped. Later he was enticed into the place and was kicked to death by Lavin. The proprietor's mother pounded the head of the prostrate man with a flatiron. After the murder the body was thrown into a vault where it was found yesterday. Lavin, w no his mother and several of the gang are in

Escape of Train Robbers.

SALT LAKE, Utab, Aug. 27 .- Just three weeks ago the Rio Grande Western train was "held up" near Thompson's Spring, Utah, and the passengers relieved of many valuables. Two of the robbers were captured after a long chase about sixty miles southwest of Bluff on the Nav-j se reserva tion. The prisoners were put in irons, placed in a wagon and their captors started for Sait 53 per 100 lbs. Sheep snd Lambs—market dnil and ½c lower for both: Sheep sold at \$3 30s4 85, and Lambs at \$4 50a6 75 per 100 lbs. Hogs—market steady for live Hogs at \$4 4044 85 per 100 lbs. It was dark and the brush was thick and it was hard to get on their track. They are still at large.

Trial of the Cronin Murderers CHICAGO, Aug. 27 .- The Times says that as a result of yesterday's proceedings Burke, 1910

Coughlin, O'Sullivan and Kunze have been placed in such a position that they cannot turn State's evidence or b come witnesses for the prosecution. In their alli-lavits for separate trials - ach swears that he knews absolutely nothing about the murder. In consequence the men ca not, without becoming the neeves perjurers, go upon the witness stand and rell anything about it. Only two of the archest er- thus left by the attorneys for the defense open to become informers. The two are Beggs and Wooder ff,

Prize Fights

SAN FRANCISCO, Ang. 27 - The mis interesting event in the pugilistic world sees the Sollivan-Ki rain fight, is the meeting to night at the California Athletic Chale has tween Jack Dempsey and George La Barrie. the "Marine", for a purse of \$5 500 and the middle weight championship of America.

TROY, N. Y., Aug. 27 -There was a price fight at Cohoes, early this morning, between Joseph Murray, of New York, and J mes Kennard, the "St. Paul kid." In the fourteenth round Murray broke his wrist and the fight was given to Kennard.

Kilrain.

PURVIS, Miss., Aug. 27 -Bad Renoud came from New Orleans yesterday and secured bond in \$2,000 for Kilrain to appear at the regular term of court in Septemb .. Jake was then set at liberty and he left for Cincionati. Renaud said that he had been authorized to offer Kilrain \$2 500 to stand up before Sailivan for four rounds, Marquis of Queensbury rules. Kilrain has taken the offer under advisement and, it is believed, he will accept.

Theft of a Diamond Ring.

New York, Aug. 27.—The case of Miss Clara Mitchell, an actress, charged by Miss Xenia Carlstadt, also an actress, with stealing from her a diamond ring on Aug. 26 h last, was adjourned to-day by Justice Ford until Saturday to give the defendant time to restore the stolen property. Miss Mitch 1 is said to belong to a wealthy and respects ble family and that Mitchell is an assumed name. Both women boarded at the same

Who Owns the Black Diamond?

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27 .- If an unofficial rumor which has reached the State Department is confirmed it will give an almost comical effect to the angry remonstrance of the Canadians against the operations of the revenue steamer Rush in Behring sea. The story is to the effect that the steam sealer Black Diamond, which was the first ves-el seized this year, is owned in a large degree if not entirely by citizens of the United

Cloud Burst.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 27 .- A cloud burst yesterday over Rockingham and vicinity destroyed the dams and damaged the machinery of the Pee Dee, the Rober Dee, the Great Falls, the Midway and L.d. better mills. The loss is estimated at \$100,000. Five hundred hands are thrown out of employment. The railroad track of the Carolina road for fifteen miles is more

Ohio Democratic Convention.

DAYTON, Oato, Aug. 27. - The democratic State convention met here to day. The Kansas Cirv, Mo., Aug. 27 .- A man who city is crowded with delegates. Three

Telegraphic Brevities.

The ship Wm. McGilvery, of Searsport, Me, is reported as having been burned at sea on the vov age from Pisagua for New York with 1,700 tons General Boulanger publishes a list of forty one

seats in the French Chamber of Deputies from the Department of the Seine. It is reported from Copenhagen that the Czare vitch will make an official visit to Paris if the in

candidates who will contest in his interest for

terview which is to take place but seen the Czar and Kaiser is not harmonious. Jno. Dietrick, of Canton, O. has just received

word from a Baltimore lawyer that he is one o three heirs to a fortune of \$500,000 left by a Mrs. Leouida Burling has begun a suit against the Sharon estate to compel the return of \$572,047, which she claims was paid by her husband to Mr. Sharon to settle the deb's of W. C.

A passenger agent of the Memphis and Charleston road has contracted for 400 white families to be brought from the Carolinas to Woodruff conn-1st as day laborers.

For the House of Delegates To the editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

Dear Sir: In view of the fact that we will soon be called upon to select a candidate for the Legislature, the undersigned, voters of Fairfax, united respectfully suggest the name of Thomas B Grada, of Clifton, being well known in the differ-

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